# THE WORLD FOOD PRIZE YOUTH PROGRAMS:

life-changing opportunities to inspire young leaders

The World Food Prize provides Iowa high school students with unique opportunities to explore global issues and STEM fields, inspiring the next generation of leaders in the fight against hunger.



## THE WORLD FOOD PRIZE IOWA YOUTH INSTITUTE AT IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY - APRIL 29, 2013

## To participate:

Students work with a teacher to prepare a research paper about a global issue concerning hunger and poverty. Schools nominate students to participate in the day-long event at Iowa State University. Students and teachers should visit www.worldfoodprize.org/iowayouth for more information on how to participate.

## At the event, students will:

**Present** their research findings in discussion groups led by experts from around Iowa;

*Participate*, with their teachers, in interactive activities on Iowa State University's campus to explore research and work taking place in Iowa addressing global challenges;

*Engage* with research and industry experts, state and community leaders, members of the NGO community, and their peers to discuss solutions to global hunger and poverty;

**Receive** a scholarship to attend the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences at Iowa State University.



## **OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE TO PARTICIPATING STUDENTS**

### The World Food Prize Global Youth Institute

80 Iowa students at the Iowa Youth Institute will be invited to attend this three-day educational experience held in conjunction with the World Food Prize symposium in October 2013. There, students interact with World Food Prize Laureates, discuss pressing food security issues with international experts, and participate in interactive activities with other students from across the United States and around the world.

### **Borlaug-Ruan International Internship**

Students who attend the Global Youth Institute may apply for this all-expenses-paid, eight-week handson summer experience, working with world-renowed scientists and policymakers at leading research centers in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle East.

## **USDA Wallace-Carver Internship**

Students involved in the World Food Prize youth programs may apply for a USDA Wallace-Carver internship, USDA interns conduct original research or policy analysis and development through paid, summer internships at USDA research centers or field offices, including USDA headquarters in Washington, D.C.







To participate, contact Catherine Swoboda, Director of Iowa Educational Programs, at cswoboda@worldfoodprize.org or 515-245-3727 or visit www.worldfoodprize.org/iowayouth.